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REPORTS OF PEACE AGAIN ABROAD

Japan's Army Still Closing
About Muscovites.

Russia's Baltic Fleet Is Preparing to
Move to the Far
East.

PORT GARRISON CHEERFUL

London, May 19.—There are rumors of a probability of early peace in the far east circulated freely throughout the financial district this afternoon, and Japanese securities rose violently. Russian bonds were also stronger on the talk of peace. The source of reports cannot be traced.

JAP FLEET SIGHTED.

New Chwang, May 19.—The Japanese fleet was sighted ten miles north of Kaichow today. Japanese troops have marched several miles in land from Kaichow, destroying four miles of railroad and capturing the commissariat.

OFFICIAL FIGURES OF BATTLE.

Tokio, May 19.—General Kuroki sends the exact number of killed and wounded at the battle of the Yalu as: Japanese 316 killed, 783 injured; Russians 1363 buried by Japanese, 613 prisoners, 29 guns and a thousand rifles captured by the Japanese.

GETTING BIG FLEET READY.

Odessa, May 19.—The whole Russian Black Sea fleet is ordered to be on a complete footing from August 1. In the meanwhile the fleet is divided into two squadrons, which are executing a series of practical evolutions in Crimean waters. It is reported that an arrangement has been made whereby Turkey will allow the fleet to pass through the Dardanelles for service in Far East.

AMMUNITION WORTHLESS.

Birmingham, England, May 19.—The Post is informed by a military authority in Odessa that there is a great commotion at Russian headquarters over the discovery that various reserve ammunition stores kept at Kherson and other nearby places, representing fifty million rounds, have either completely disappeared or is so worthless that practically none is available for use.

ANNULS TREATY.

Washington, May 19.—Minister Allen cables the state department from Seoul that the Korean government by imperial decree issued Thursday, has formally annulled all treaties and agreements with Russia including timber concessions on the Yalu.

JAP SHIP DAMAGED.

Chefu, May 19.—Refugees from Port Arthur report that the Japanese battleship Fugui struck a mine and was severely damaged.

650 LIVES LOST.

London, May 19.—An official dispatch received here this afternoon announces that the Japanese cruiser Yoshino, battleship Hatsuz were sunk and over 650 lives lost in the disaster. The crew of the Hatsuz, 34, was saved.

SHIPS SUNK.

Tokio, May 19.—Admiral Togo reports that the Japanese cruiser Kasuga rammed the cruiser Yoshino in fog off Port Arthur. The Yoshino sunk in a few minutes and ninety aboard were saved. The battleship Hatsuz struck a Russian mine and sank the same day. Three hundred of the crew were saved by torpedo boats.

RUSSIANS IN PERIL.

New York, May 19.—All dispatches from the theater of war and all information from the European capitals strengthened the impression that Kurapatkin is in an exceedingly perilous position.

The Russian general staff confirmed the reports circulated elsewhere by announcing that the commander in Manchuria was preparing to fall back to Mukden and then to Harbin.

New Chwang reported that the Japanese, after landing near Kaichow, destroying the railway and dispersing

GREAT EMOTION SHOWN BY TYNER

Tears Stream Down His Face as
He Denied the Charge.

Methodists at Los Angeles Elect-
ed One Bishop Yes-
terday.

KILLING IN LOUISIANA

Washington, May 19.—Seated in an invalid's chair and face to face with the jury, James N. Tyner, the aged defendant in the Tyner-Barrett conspiracy case, denied the accusations no which he and his nephew were indicted in connection with their duties as law officers for the postoffice department.

Frequently, when the examination branched to charges of collusion between the two defendants to perform some dishonest acts, tears streamed down General Tyner's face and brandy was used to restore the witness to composure sufficiently to enable him to continue. Mr. Worthington told him to rest whenever he liked, but the witness answered:

"I will get through with it if I can."

When he concluded he was taken to his home, for Major Conrad, special counsel for the government, announced that he would not take the responsibility of cross-examination.

KILLED WITH A SHOTGUN.

Shreveport, La., May 19.—P. S. Carter, a prominent attorney of Robeline, La., was shot and fatally wounded at that place last evening by Dr. W. S. Sibley, a physician, who came to Robeline from Boyce, La., about a year ago. Carter had started from his home to go to the depot when he was attacked by Sibley without warning. Sibley fired two shots with a double barrel shot gun.

ELECT A BISHOP.

Los Angeles, Cal., May 19.—The Methodist General conference yesterday voted for eight bishops, but elected only one, J. F. Berry, editor of the Epworth Herald, who received more than two-thirds of the entire vote cast on the first ballot.

One hundred and seventy received votes on the first ballot.

Russian troops, withdrew and embarked again. A Russian force is again in New Chwang, but ready to evacuate at the moment such a plan becomes necessary.

From Port Arthur, by Chinese runners, came a dispatch which has been forwarded to St. Petersburg. It reports the beleaguered garrison in good condition, adding that no attack has been made on the place since May 13.

BASEBALL RESULTS

NATIONAL LEAGUE.

St. Louis 3, Philadelphia 2.
Chicago 5, Brooklyn 4.

AMERICAN LEAGUE.

Detroit 6, New York 1.
Philadelphia 9, St. Louis 4.

AMERICAN ASSOCIATION.

Kansas City, 4, Toledo 1.
St. Paul 11, Louisville 2.
Minneapolis 0, Columbus 2.
Milwaukee 10, Indianapolis 5.

SOUTHERN LEAGUE.

Memphis 6, Nashville 5.
Little Rock, 8, Birmingham 6.
Shreveport 5, Atlanta 3.
New Orleans 4, Montgomery 1.

POLISH UPRISING

IS THREATENED AND THE QUEEN
WILL REMAIN AWAY.

London, May 19.—Because of rumors of an uprising in Poland, Queen Alexandra has decided not to attend the anniversary concert May 26, the day on which Chopin died.

The queen fears her presence might be interpreted as an encouragement to the Polish revolutionists.

JACK SATTERFIELD DIES OF HIS WOUND

Was Shot by George Green Last
Friday.

Wounded in the Leg and Blood Poison-
ing Developed, Resulting in
Death.

GREEN IS AT LARGE

George Green is now a murderer. He is the negro who shot Jack Satterfield, colored, in the leg last Friday night near Sixth and Jefferson streets. Satterfield was not thought to be seriously injured, but he died this morning at his home on Tenth street from blood poisoning. Green is still at large, but redoubled efforts will now be made to apprehend him.

Satterfield's death will make a strong case of murder against Green, if reports are true. It is alleged that Friday night Green and a woman named Dollie Reed were going along with another couple or two, when Satterfield overtook them near Sixth and Jefferson streets. He seemed to be madly infatuated with the woman, and while he offered no violence to anyone in the crowd roughly accosted her and said: "Whut'd I tell you about goin' with these niggers?"

Green is alleged to have pulled his pistol and without a word begun shooting. He struck Satterfield in the leg, and the woman was accidentally hit by a stray bullet in the hip. He then ran away in the dark and has not since been seen.

Satterfield's wound was thought to be only a trivial flesh wound at first, but two or three days ago symptoms of septisemia or blood poisoning were detected and it was thought the leg would have to be amputated. He seemed to be better Tuesday however, and an operation was performed to locate the bullet.

Last night the wounded man became delirious and this morning died at 9:30 o'clock from blood poisoning.

Nothing has been heard of Green since the shooting. It is said that he did not even know Satterfield, and shot him down without a word of warning. The dead man was about 30, and was not considered a bad man.

ALLEGED THEFT.

MAN BELIEVED TO BE WANTED
IN MEMPHIS CAUGHT HERE.

James Williams is the name of a man arrested yesterday afternoon late at the carnival grounds by Officers Gourioux and Potter on a charge of grand larceny and being a fugitive from justice.

It is alleged that he stole \$20 in Memphis and is wanted by the Tennessee authorities. He was arraigned before Judge Sanders this morning and his case continued until the Tennessee authorities can come after him.

Jim McRae charged with stealing \$2.50 from George Wilkins, was arrested and his case continued.

GENERAL ASSEMBLY

PRESBYTERIANS GATHER AT
BUFFALO—ELECT MODER-
ATOR TODAY.

Buffalo, May 19.—The general assembly of the Presbyterian church opened in La Fayette church this morning, with a sermon by Dr. Coyle and then adjourned until 3 o'clock this afternoon when a new moderator will be elected.

SENATOR QUAY

IS NOW WORSE—ANXIETY FELT
FOR HIM.

Pittsburg, May 19.—News from Senator Quay's bedside this morning is to the effect that he is in a state of extreme depression, and considerable anxiety is felt for him.

MANY MORE TURKS KILLED AT MUSH

Armenians Lose a Leader and
Several Others.

Another Case of Yellow Fever Dis-
covered Near the Border of
Texas.

CHANGE IN CATHOLIC CHOIR

Austin, Tex., May 19.—State Health Officer Tabor was advised today that there was one case of yellow fever in Valles, and also one in Tampico. Valles is about seventy-five miles west of Tampico. This complicates the quarantine situation in Monterey, as this city has not quarantined against either of these places.

The quarantine would probably be raised but for the fact of its exposure to places where the fever exists.

136 TURKS KILLED.

London, May 19.—The Central News correspondent at Baku, Caucasus, reports a serious fight between Armenians and Turkish troops at Chelousan, in the district of Mush. The Turks lost 136 in killed and wounded, while the Armenians had their leader and many others killed.

NO MORE WOMEN.

Savannah, May 19.—Bishop Keiley of the Catholic diocese of Georgia has mailed to each of the churches in his jurisdiction a letter directing that under the recent order of the Pope the use of female voices in Catholic choirs shall cease. The change must be effective by January 1, 1905.

GAVE BOND

ENGINEER KOTHEIMER DENIES
THAT HE KNEW ANYTHING
ABOUT THE ORANGES.

Engineer Phil Kothheimer, and brakeman Jake Wade, the latter colored, of Paducah, were tried at Wicliffe yesterday before Judge Moore for breaking into an Illinois Central box car and taking therefrom a box of oranges consigned to J. K. Bondurant & Co., of Paducah, and held to answer under small bonds.

Engineer Kothheimer gave security without trouble and was released but the brakeman was not so fortunate. It is claimed by the railroad officers that the car was broken at Barlow City, Ballard county, while the engine was taking water, and that the oranges were left at Kothheimer's home here.

Engineer Kothheimer denies any connection with the affair, and was defended by Attorney J. Wheeler Campbell, of the city, while Attorney W. F. Bradshaw represented the brakeman. It is claimed that the brakeman took the oranges on his own account, and when at Eleventh and Broadway, in Paducah, he saw Officer Tolbert watching him, took them and left them in the engineer's back yard and tried to lay the blame on the engineer. The latter has no fear of proving his innocence when the case comes to trial.

Mrs. W. T. Dinneen, wife of the popular special agent of the I. C., and daughter Tolia, will arrive tonight from Louisville to attend the carnival.

TODAY'S MARKETS.

(Furnished by Paducah Commission Co., 109 Broadway.)

WHAT	HIGH	LOW	CLOS
July.....	84	86	87
Sept.....	84	86	86
CORN			
July.....	48	47	48
Sept.....	47	47	47
OATS			
July.....	38	38	38
Sept.....	30	30	30
COTTON			
July.....			13 16
Aug.....			12 79
Sept.....			11 66
Oct.....			11 16
Nov.....			11 07
Dec.....			

STOCKS

L. C.....	128
L. N.....	106
M. F.....	89
U. S.....	91
U. S. F.....	52

THE LARGEST CROWD OF THE WEEK OUT

Last Night Was a Record Break-
er at the Carnival.

All The Shows Well Patronized and
the Attendance Was About
7,000.

ANOTHER GOOD CROWD TODAY

The crowd at the carnival last night was the largest of the week, and was estimated at 7,000. Hundreds of people who were there the night before returned, and the carnival grounds are daily livelier than at any previous carnival.

The various attractions, which are all first class, had fine business, and the patronage was all that could be desired. At nearly every performance the tents were crowded.

The afternoon crowds are also growing daily, and it is the time many of the children are taken to see the sights. On account of the crush at night many of the ladies go in the afternoon and take the little ones.

Strangers are arriving on every train. There were not many the first two days because of the weather, but from now on hundreds are expected from every direction to spend the day, many to spend the remainder of the week with friends.

Paducah has had several carnivals in recent years and many people were under the impression that there was nothing new to be seen in that form of entertainment. The multitude that have already attended the shows of Colonel Mundy are however, convinced that there are many new features of the highest order of merit in the Colonel's big organization. Expressions of wonder, delight and astonishment are heard on every side and the unanimous verdict is that the Mundy Carnival Company has by far the cleanest and best attractions, the most polite and best class of employees and the most elegant and refined performances of any similar entertainment that has ever visited the city.

The immense crowds in attendance gives ample testimony to the worth of the exhibition as a whole and the foresight and genius of Colonel Mundy has displayed in building this season's aggregation.

While all his shows are certainly fine, the trained animal show seems to attract the largest audiences. The magnificent front used by this attraction was put up for the first time here.

The Crystal Maze, Venetian Glass Blowers, Lotta, Loretta, Creation, The Ocean Wave and the Ferris Wheel, Cave of the Wind, Foolish House all please and are doing their share of business. While the big Hippodrome draws immense audiences who are loud in praise of every act they witness within its amphitheater.

The ton of coal given as Tuesday night's prize at the country store, was won by the combination numbers of 107-119-131 and last night Mrs. Farrow won the rocking chair on numbers of 104-116-128. Numbers 101-113-125 win the handsome chair and 103-115-127 the \$5 vase. Tonight the prizes are a suit of clothes, \$20 lamp and \$5 bridle.

The program for Deal's Band in the Palm Garden tonight and tomorrow afternoon is as follows:

THURSDAY NIGHT.

Twostep—"Smiles," Herbert Walderstein.
Overture—"Orpheus," Donizetti.
College Potpourri—"Ki-yi," arranged by Petee.
Selection from "Martha," Flo-tow.
Intermezzo from "Cavalleria Rusticana," Mascagni.
Selection from "The Chaperons," Witmark.
FRIDAY AFTERNOON.
"St. Louis Exposition," Isabel Mohan.
Overture—"Cavalier," Rollinson.
Waltz—"May Blossoms," Harry

MEN KIDNAPPED BY MOUNTAINEERS

One is an American Citizen and
Trouble May Result.

Germans Preparing to Overwhelm
Herreros in Southwest
Africa.

THE GILLESPIE TRIAL.

Tangier, Morocco, May 19.—Ion Perdicaris and Cromwell Varley were kidnapped by a band of Raisuli mountaineers. Perdicaris is an American citizen and the richest and most influential man in Tangiers. His popularity aroused the jealousy of the government officials, who may have facilitated the kidnapping.

SOUTHERN PRESBYTERIANS.

Mobile, May 19.—The general assembly of the Presbyterian church in the United States, by which name the southern branch of the Presbyterian church is known, convened today. The opening address was delivered by the retiring moderator, Dr. Hopkins, of West Virginia.

TO SUBDUCE HERREROS.

Berlin, May 19.—General Trotha has been appointed chief of the German forces in Southwest Africa and started today forward in the arduous task of overwhelming the rebel Herreros in Africa.

THE DEFENSE OPENS.

Rising Sun, Ind., May 19.—The defense in the Gillespie murder trial began today. A determined effort will be made to break down the circumstantial evidence of the state.

STUDENTS FOUGHT

Violent Outbreak of Boys on
Streets at Lexington.

Dr. J. T. Reddick, of Paducah, Painfully Hurt While Watching
Melee.

Lexington, Ky., May 19.—A fierce battle with sticks and stones raged between 300 State College students and 150 Kentucky University students on the streets last night, and for some time the police were powerless to quell the disturbance.

Several persons were hurt, including Dr. J. T. Reddick, of Paducah, who was a spectator. The row started over a joke the University students tried to play on the State College students.

Dr. Reddick was struck in the back of the head with a stone, which cut a deep gash, requiring several stitches to close it. He is attending the State Medical Association meeting.

PICKING BERRIES

MANY LEAVE PADUCAH FOR
THE ILLINOIS AND KEN-
TUCKY FIELDS.

The Dick Fowler has for the past several days been carrying scores of colored people from Paducah down the river to pick berries in the strawberry patches in Illinois and Kentucky. Many others have gone by rail to Tennessee. The berry picking industry flourishes for several weeks every year, and white and colored people alike earn quite a neat sum while the berries last. Most of them are paid by the quart.

Mrs. Bettie Elliott, of Fancy Farm, is visiting Mr. Thomas Elder, on Goebel avenue.

Cunningham.

Selection from "Il Trovatore" Verdi.
Sextette from "Lucia" Donizetti.
Selection from "The Strollers" Engländer.

SOUTH FULTON'S MAYOR CLEARED

The Council Exonerated Him of the Charges Against Him.

Paducah Man Organizes Princeton Bricklayers—No Trace of Missing Fulton Man.

LATE NEWS OF KENTUCKY

Fulton, Ky., May 19—The charges against Mayor R. T. Milner, of South Fulton, have been withdrawn and he has been exonerated by the council which investigated the case. He was charged with irregularities by S. A. McDade.

DEATH IN BALLARD.

Wickliffe, Ky., May 19—Bert Joiner died of consumption. Mr. Joiner was born February 29, 1876, and hence could have a birthday anniversary only once in four years. He leaves a mother, one brother and two half sisters.

PADUCAH MAN ORGANIZES.

Princeton, Ky., May 19—J. S. Cartwright, a deputy in Paducah of International Brick Masons' Union of America, called together the bricklayers of this city and organized a local union. Sherwood F. Green was elected president and F. G. Hawkins vice president.

SUES FOR DIVORCE.

Princeton, Ky., May 19—Florence Ray filed suit against her husband, Tom Ray, for divorce and alimony. She alleges that he has cursed and abused her since the third week of their marriage. She also alleges that he has conducted himself unbecomingly to a husband. Ray is one of Princeton's business men and is worth a considerable amount of money. They were married March 13, 1904, and separated May 13, 1904.

THE TRAIL LOST.

Fulton, Ky., May 19—Detective Henry Price, of Memphis, who was detailed to look for T. L. Rasco, who disappeared last week, has been working constantly on the case and has found several places where Rasco had been, but lost the trail. He is still working diligently and is being assisted by a brother of the missing man. Rasco had \$100 in cash and a check for \$400 when last seen. His disappearance is a mystery.

DEATH IN GRAVES.

Mayfield, Ky., May 19—Mrs. Mollie Thompson, aged 25 died at Clear Springs of dropsy. She was the daughter of Joe Sweet and leaves a husband and one child.

FULTON MARRIAGE.

Fulton, Ky., May 19—Mr. George E. Dum and Miss Alice May Beasley were married at the home of J. S. Murphey on State Line street. Mr. and Mrs. Dum left for St. Louis and from there will go to Kansas City to live. Mr. Dum is a son of Mr. I. Dum, one of Obion county's planters. His bride is the pretty daughter of the late Elvis Beasley.

CONTRACT DECLARED OFF.

Fulton, Ky., May 19—The council yesterday declared off the contract to build the new city hall awarded to R. H. McClanahan. Mr. McClanahan, who was awarded the contract for \$10,085 stated that a mistake had been made in phoning his bid and it should have been \$10,885. The council decided to declare off all bids and advertise for new bids to be opened and contract awarded on June 1.

FORMER FULTONIAN DEAD.

Fulton, Ky., May 19—Frank L. Brizendine, a former citizen of this place and for many years city marshal, died suddenly of apoplexy at Birmingham, Ala., where he had been on the police force since March 7, 1895, until a few days before his death, when he resigned on account of ill health. He was 53 years old and leaves a wife and three children.

Evansville, Ind.—The plumbers' strike has been compromised. They will receive \$3.25 a day from December 1 to January 1 for eight hours work and after January 1 will receive \$3.50 a day for two years.

"Red Raven Splits"

—AT—
SOULE'S DRUG STORE

IMPROVEMENTS ARE FULLY DISCUSSED

Board of Public Works to Ask for Bitulithic Bids.

Third Street to be Rolled 'All the Way to Broad Street

STREETS TO BE SPRINKLED

The board of public works, at its regular meeting last night, has decided to recommend that the city ask for bids on the bitulithic paving when the bond funds become available. If the cost of the bitulithic paving should be under that of brick streets, the chances are that Paducah will have streets made of it.

It was decided to use the street roller on Third street to make repairs all the way up to Broad as soon as the work now being done on West Broadway is finished. The board will include Third street in the list of those to be paved, but does not think that any of the work will be done in that part of the city this year, and will accordingly have temporary repairs made with the roller.

An important decision was that to keep the streets already rolled, sprinkled this summer, and ascertain if this will not prevent much wear, and save the city money. It is believed that the cost of sprinkling will not be as much as the cost of repaving the streets would be if they are not sprinkled. The streets torn up and rolled since the board went into office are Kentucky, Broadway and Jefferson, and they are all said to be in excellent condition.

The board would like to have a water car to sprinkle the streets on which there are car tracks, but as it would call for an appropriation and none seems to be available just now, the car may not be purchased this year.

NEW MANHATTAN BRIDGE.

New York, May 19—The needed appropriation of \$10,000,000 having been voted by the board of estimate, work on the structure of the new Manhattan bridge over East river will begin July 1. When completed it will cost \$12,000,000, and from the standpoint of capacity will be the largest bridge in the world. It probably will be completed by January 1, 1909. There will be eight railway tracks, as against six on the new Williamsburg bridge and four on the old Brooklyn bridge.

EXPOSURE.

To cold draughts of air, to keen and cutting winds, sudden changes of temperature, scanty clothing, undue exposure of the throat and neck after public speaking and singing, bring on coughs and colds. Ballard's Horehound Syrup is the best cure. Mrs. A. Barr, Houston, Texas, writes, Jan. 31, 1903: "One bottle of Ballard's Horehound Syrup cured me of a very bad cough. It is very pleasant to take." 25c, 50c, \$1.00. Sold by Du Bois, Kolb & Co., Paducah, Ky.

ERYSIPELAS CAUSES DEATH.

Hopkinsville, Ky., May 19—William H. Faxon, for a number of years a tobacco dealer of this city, died from blood poisoning, resulting from erysipelas. He was fifty-two years old and is survived by a widow and three children.

A POSITIVE NECESSITY.

Having to lay upon my bed for fourteen days from a severely bruised leg I only found relief when I used a bottle of Ballard's Snow Liniment. I can cheerfully recommend it as the best medicine for bruises ever sent to the afflicted. It has now become a positive necessity upon myself. D. R. Byrnes, Merchant, Doversville, Texas. 25c, 50c, \$1.00. Sold by Du Bois, Kolb & Co., Paducah, Ky.

RURAL CARRIER FOR FULTON.

The following rural free delivery carrier was appointed for Kentucky: Fulton, regular, William E. Waggoner, substitute, Elmer S. Adams.

REPORTED THEFT.

Mary McHerring, colored, today reported to police headquarters that Eva Johnson, colored, had stolen her lawn dress and \$1.50 in money.

Dr. I. B. Howell will return this evening from attending the State Dental Association meeting in Louisville.

LATE DOINGS IN TOBACCO CIRCLES

Sales Have Been Lively in Some Places.

Favorable Weather Has Prevailed in Many Localities of Kentucky.

PLANTS ARE DOING WELL

From Owensboro we hear that several lots of strips put up this season have been disposed of, says the Western Tobacco Journal. The American Tobacco company bought about 1,200 hogsheads from Birk Brothers, about 300 hogsheads from Hughes & Phillips, with a lot of 200 hogsheads put up by Mr. Cheatham being under option. Mr. Cook sold 50 hogsheads to a Louisville buyer and 75 hogsheads to Richmond, Va., account. Hunter Bell is reported to have sold 100 hogsheads to the same party in Virginia.

Some lots of leaf have been disposed of in Owensboro to be delivered like strips, when dry, to manufacturers in Evansville and Nashville, as well as to Louisville and Richmond, who will use all such as substitutes for burley. Farmers being busy planting corn and doing other work, little business was done in loads from the country.

From Henderson we hear of little being done last week, very few loads being delivered, owing to the favorable weather enabling farmers to plant corn and attend to other matters delayed hitherto.

From Madisonville, we understand the market for sound dark spinning tobacco has advanced 1-2 to 3-4 cents, with much more free buying by Hodge & Jones and Halliman, intending to put into leaf, good account of sales of leaf in England lately having led to such. The only lot of strips sold for home trade is a lot of 250 hogsheads sold by Pratt & Hill, Manitou, Hopkins county, who are now buying again and putting into leaf. Four dollars and up to \$4.40 a pound has been paid recently for crops, which is a good advance on previous prices, and all to the advantage of the farmers. It is not supposed that many more strictly good crops are now to be had.

We hear of no sales of strips in Henderson for home trade, so that it is more than probable that all the strips and leaf put up there will be exported.

GOVERNMENT REPORTS.

Kentucky—Very favorable weather prevailed throughout the week. Work was vigorously prosecuted, and growing crops advanced fairly well. Light showers at the close of the week were very beneficial.

Tobacco plants are in good condition in most localities, and preparations for transplanting have begun; the acreage will not be quite as large as usual.

WESTERN COUNTIES.

Calloway—Tobacco plants are small. Calloway—Prospects good for all crops except tobacco, which will be very light. McLean—Tobacco plants will not be large enough to transplant until late. Muhlenburg—Tobacco plants improved. Todd—Tobacco plants plentiful; will be ready to transplant before the ground is prepared. Trigg—Tobacco plants are scarce, will not be over half a crop.

CENTRAL COUNTIES.

Breckinridge—Some complaint of scarcity of tobacco plants. Fayette—Tobacco plants doing well. Hart—Tobacco plants looking well, but are small. Metcalf—Tobacco plants are plentiful and growing well. Shelby—Tobacco plants doing well, though small.

The Mayfield Messenger of yesterday said:

Tuesday was a good day in the tobacco market, 75 hogsheads being sold at fairly good prices. The outlook looks more promising than for some time. The prices paid for the tobacco for lugs ranged from \$2.75 to \$3.75 and for leaf \$4 to \$7.

The sales took place at the warehouses of Albright Bros., Ligon & Allen and Ligon Bros. J. T. Liles purchased 15 hogsheads, J. T. Wright 10 and Oscar Hank, of Paducah, 50.

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SOULE'S DRUG STORE

THE FIRST BOAT FROM LOUISVILLE

It Arrived in Louisville in 1811 From Pittsburg.

The Washington Went From Louisville to New Orleans in 45 Days.

IT WAS GOOD TIME THEN

The first steamboat that ever plowed the waters of the Ohio was the "New Orleans," built by Robert Fulton, says the Louisville Times.

In October, 1811, this boat left Pittsburg, arriving at Louisville four days later, on a quiet moonlight night, when all the inhabitants were asleep.

They had not heard even a rumor of such a thing as a steamboat, so when the hissing and blowing off of steam, and the puffing of the engine as the boat rounded to, broke the stillness of the night, pandemonium reigned for awhile among the excited people. Some thought the world had come to an end, or an earthquake had visited them, while others thought a comet had fallen into the Ohio and was making its revolution down its waters.

They fled from their houses, clad in their night robes, and lined the banks of the river, gazing in awe at this wonderful invention of man.

All along the banks of the river, from Pittsburg to Louisville, the settlers were greatly alarmed, and watched with terror the rapid progress the boat made over the water and trembled at the terrible noise.

A little over a month after this event Kentucky was visited by a fearful earthquake shock which threatened to destroy Louisville and other towns.

These vibrations continued, at intervals, for over four months, which caused great uneasiness throughout the state. This was no steamboat scare, and the inhabitants had just cause for the suspension of business while uncontrollable fear had possession of them.

In April, 1817, a grand dinner was given in honor of Capt. Shreve for making a voyage on the steamer "Washington," from Louisville to New Orleans and back in forty-five days. This was considered the most wonderful and quickest trip in navigation on record. Thus a road from this state was opened to the south, connecting it with the world at large.

There was one other way in which to reach the South, and that was through the wilderness. A road was made from Louisville to Nashville, over which wagon traffic went from one city to the other. The drivers would camp in the wilderness over night and resume their journey in the morning; but this was very dangerous traveling for the Indians were very numerous and frequently attacked the parties.

MARRIED LAST EVENING.

Mr. J. N. Agnew and Mrs. Mamie Brumfield were married at 8 o'clock last evening at the residence of Rev. T. J. Newell, of the Broadway Methodist church, by Rev. Newell. They are well and favorably known people, Mr. Agnew being carpenter on board the steamer Clyde, and brother to Contractor Agnew, of Paducah.

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CONFIRMATION CLASS

IMPRESSIVE SERVICES TO BE HELD AT TEMPLE ISRAEL.

Tomorrow will be important in Jewish church circles, as a large class will be confirmed at Temple Israel in the forenoon. Rabbi Alexander, pastor of the Temple, will conduct the service as follows:

ORDER OF SERVICES.

Psalm One Hundred—Choir.
Morning Service for Shabbath—Prayer Book, prayer 166-179, 195-201.
CONFIRMATION SERVICE.
Entrance of the Confirmants.
Opening Prayer—Florence Loeb.
The Message of the Day—Ruby Michael.

Taking the Scroll from the Ark, page 202.

The Ten Commandments—The Confirmants.

The Haphtarab, page 213.

Declaration of Faith—Florence Loeb.

Returning of the Scroll, pages 221-223.

Closing Prayer—Ruby Michael.

Solo, "Come Hither and Behold,"—Mrs. M. C. Scott.

Sermon, Text: Genesis 12, 2b—Rabbi David Alexander.

The Priestly Blessing.

Conclusion of the Service, pages 224-227.

Benediction.

The confirmation commemorates the delivery of the commandments to the children of Israel.

There will be special services at Temple Israel this evening at 7:30. Rabbi David Alexander will preach upon the "Birth of Judaism." A special musical program will be rendered by the choir.

A LARGE CLASS

PROMINENT MASONS WITNESS WORK AT LITTLE ROCK.

Little Rock, Ark., May 19.—The session of the spring reunion Scottish Rite Masons, Southern jurisdiction, was held. Rear Admiral Schley, Congressman Richardson, Supreme commander, and a party of twenty thirty-second degree Masons from Washington and the east witnessed the work as exemplified at Albert Pike consistory.

The class of candidates, numbering 165, is one of the largest on record, according to Supreme Commander Richardson.

Visitors left last night for Guthrie, O. T., Wichita, Kan., and St. Louis, to each of which places they go to witness consistory work.

REMAINS ARRIVE.

The remains of Mr. Max Garrett, of Paducah, who was killed by falling from a bridge last October in Beaumont, Tex., and whose body was only recently identified, were brought to the city, this morning. The burial took place at Oak Grove this afternoon.

IN PADUCAH.

EVERY CLAIM IS BACKED BY LOCAL TESTIMONY.

If the reader wants stronger proof than the following statement and experience of a resident of Paducah, what can it be?

Mrs. C. H. Wilson, of 525 South Fourth street, says: "My father died with Bright's disease, and knowing what he suffered I was continually anxious about my own condition, particularly so then. I suffered untold misery for years with backache and kidney complaint. I have had attacks that compelled me to keep my bed for weeks, and no matter how comfortable my surroundings, the mattress seemed like a bed of rocks, and every movement I made felt like a dagger was piercing me in the kidneys. The worst attack I ever had was just previous to sending to Du Bois & Co.'s drug store for Doan's Kidney Pills. I actually collapsed; there was swelling plainly visible across the loins and the aching was excruciating. When a few doses of Doan's Kidney Pills gave relief I could only call the help a Godsend. A continuation of the treatment disposed of the last attack. I eat well, sleep better and at present am in the best of health. Send anyone to me for minute particulars about my experience with and opinion of Doan's Kidney Pills."

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Figures.

We have in our files today 397 letters from territory embracing 17 states, written by grateful patients who have been finally cured of Piles.

When Dr. Caldwell's (Laxative) Syrup Pepsin was formulated it was not with the intent that it would in any way prove effective as a Pile Cure, but as the remedy became more generally known and used its superior merit as a remedy for Piles became so certainly apparent that we were led to add to our guarantee as a cure for Constipation, Indigestion, Sick Headache and Stomach Trouble, the disagreeable and serious ailment of Piles.

To those suffering from any form of Piles we say: "Try Dr. Caldwell's (Laxative) Syrup Pepsin; read carefully our article in the Booklet on this special disease; follow directions and you will add your words of praise to those who have already expressed their delight and satisfaction from the use of this remedy. 50c and \$1.00 at your druggists.

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NEWS OF THE RIVERS.

Observations taken at 7 a. m. River 14.3 on the gauge, a fall of 1.1 in the last 24 hours. Weather clear. Temperature 56 with west winds.

SAUNDERS A. FOLWER, Local Observer.

The Lyda went to Tennessee river today.

The Hopkins is today's Evansville packet.

The Tennessee is due in from Tennessee river.

The Clyde got away last night for Tennessee river.

The Chattanooga is due Saturday from Chattanooga.

The Dick Fowler went to Cairo on time this morning.

The Ten Broeck arrived last night from Tennessee river.

The Duffey went into Cumberland river yesterday after ties.

The Lyda arrived this morning from Tennessee river with ties.

The Royal arrived and departed today on time for Golconda.

The Savannah and Memphis are due out of Tennessee river today.

The Beaver passed down this morning for the Mississippi with a tow of coal.

The new steel boat James Detrich, bound for South America, is due down.

The Fred Hartwig passed up this morning with stave timbers for Cincinnati.

The Louisiana left for St. Louis last night in charge of Captain Morgan. She was the Joseph Henry, a government boat, and was rebuilt on the ways here.

The Annie Russell is still here and will probably not leave Paducah before tomorrow. The boat formerly belonged to Adolph Busch, the wealthy St. Louis brewer.

Captain John Thornburg, of Three Mile, W. Va., and for many years actively employed in steamboating, says that there has been but one steamboat on the Ohio or Mississippi rivers whose bell contained as much as \$100 worth of silver, and that was the Grand Tower of St. Louis, whose bell was so clear that it could be heard ten miles up and down the river. Captain Thornburg commanded the famous sidewheel Fleetwood years ago.

One of the effects of the levees having held this year is the absence of the buffalo gnats. This means a saving of thousands of dollars to the planters, large and small, and they feel that levees that will hold the waters back and prevent this pest are well worth the tax that is imposed to build and maintain them. Not a planter but that is going ahead with his work as though the water was low, and from all indications there should be a good crop. The amount of silt water has not been large enough to do any harm, and the lands behind the levee, aside from the rains, are in better condition than for any year during a similar stage of water.

THE STREETS

ARE POTENT IN SPREADING DISEASE IN CITIES.

New York, May 19.—Under an investigation conducted at the instance of Commissioner Woodbury it has been discovered that possibly one-third of the force of 5,000 street cleaners are infected with tuberculosis. It is estimated that the average man can not live more than five or six years if he remains at the work.

Every man who has been employed was examined by civil service physicians and pronounced free from organic disease before he was placed on the roll. The malady had been contracted during an average service of less than five years.

To prevent the condition which has been discovered the utmost precautions have been taken by Commissioner Woodbury, who is a physician. The clamor for permission to wear citizens' clothes has been unheeded, for the reason that the duck uniforms harbor fewer germs and can be washed. Every man is required to boil his suit every other day and is liable to a fine if he fails. When the commissioner's new stable, in Brooklyn, is completed the men will be required to leave their uniforms in the building and take a bath before going home, so as to avoid carrying disease germs to their families.

EXCURSION RATES TO NORTHERN RESORTS.

Excursion tickets at unusually low rates, good for the season, on sale daily beginning June 1st to Milwaukee, Madison, Waukesha, Green Lake, Devils Lake, Gogebio, Ashland, Marquette, Superior, Duluth, St. Paul, Minneapolis and many other cool and delightful lake resorts reached by The North-Western Line.

Information and tickets can be secured from your home agent. Booklet entitled "The Lakes and Summer Resorts of the Northwest" mailed upon receipt of 4 cents in stamps. W. B. Kniskern, P. T. M., C. & N. W. R'y, Chicago, Ill.

Crawfordsville, Ind.—The quadrennial council of the supreme tribe of Ben Hur convened here, about 400 delegates and visitors, representing twenty-four states being present.

DRAGGED 475 MILES

BODY OF NEW YORK EXPLORER BEING BROUGHT HOME.

St. Johns, N. F., May 19.—The body of Leonidas Hubbard, Jr., of Brooklyn, N. Y., leader of the Outing Magazine expedition to Labrador, who died there of starvation, has reached Wellsville, north of here, on the steamer Aurora. The coffin was dragged by his comrades and dog teams over 475 miles of snowcrusted coast of Labrador, and thence will come over 400 miles of ocean to this port to be sent to New York.

When they left here last July for Labrador, Hubbard and his two comrades, Dillon Wallace of New York and George Elson of Winnipeg, the latter a Creek guide, were confident of making an unequalled record in exploring interior Labrador, but they took too little food with them, and Hubbard starved to death before they could retrace their steps to the coast. They started inland from a Hudson Bay post on Northwest river in July, but their supplies ran short. They killed a few deer and some birds, but gradually weakened, and after being in this condition two months, Hubbard died on October 18. The others barely escaped a similar fate, being rescued by some trappers whose camp Elson reached in time to tell them where he had left Wallace in a condition of collapse. They hurried to Wallace's aid and saved him, but when Hubbard was found he was dead. The trappers brought the dead and living back to Northwest river, where Wallace's frozen feet were treated, and where he and Elson remained from November until March, by which time they were thoroughly recuperated. They left Northwest river with a party of Hudson Bay couriers and made their way out to the coast, bringing the body with them.

Kansas City, Mo.—Walter S. Boone, a former railway mail clerk of Paola, Kan., was sentenced to one year in the penitentiary. Boone pleaded guilty to embezzling mail matter.

—Strawberries have been selling for \$1 a crate on the market for the past day or two, and are getting quite plentiful.

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WORLD'S FAIR RATES.

For the World's Fair Louisiana Purchase Exposition, to be held at St. Louis from April 30th, to Dec. 1st, inclusive, the Illinois Central Railroad Co. will sell excursion tickets from Paducah to St. Louis and return as follows:

Daily from April 25th to Nov. 15th, round trip \$8.50, good returning until Dec. 15th.

Daily from April 25th to Nov. 30th, round trip \$7.10, good returning for 60 days, in addition to date of sale but no later than Dec. 15th.

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A fine showing of Cotton Suitings in all the popular weaves 25c
A most striking selection in Persian Tissues and French Organdies at 25c

Infants' Footwear

We have not forgotten the little ones in our hurry and bustle, but to the contrary have a most attractive and elegant line of Sandals, Slippers and Shoes in black and colors for the little ones.

Moccasins, 10c
Sandals, 25c to 50c
Slippers, 50c to \$1.00

Full Line of Tan Shoes for Misses and Children.

\$1.00 Buys child's soft dark tan, 4 and 5.
\$1.25 Buys child's soft dark tan, 5½ to 8.
\$1.50 Buys child's soft dark tan, 8½ to 11.
\$1.75 Buys misses' soft dark tan, 11½ to 2.

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April average.....	3135		
March average.....	2472		

Personally appeared before me this day E. J. Paxton, general manager of The Sun, who affirms that the above statement of the circulation of The Sun for the month of April, 1904, is true to the best of his knowledge and belief.

PETER PURYEAR,
Notary Public.

My commission expires Jan. 22, 1908,
May 3, 1904.

ANNOUNCEMENTS.

For Congress.

Hon. J. C. Speight, of Graves
County.

DAILY THOUGHT.

The plain duty is the near duty.—
The Simple Life.

THE WEATHER.

Fair tonight and Friday. Warmer
Friday.

CLEAR THE SIDEWALKS.

The pavements along the brick paved streets are being left too long in a most inexcusably wretched condition. It is bad enough to fill them with brick before tearing the streets up, but now that the brick have been removed for use in some places, the sidewalks do not seem to be much improved and it is time to give some attention to the condition of the walks. If they are not to be repaired at once they can and should be cleared of the rubbish which makes them almost impassable, and very unsightly to the visitors daily upon our streets. It is bad enough to have the streets impassable, without allowing both streets and sidewalks to become so. Can't the public improvement board take up the condition of the walks and give the people some relief? Surely it can.

Another just matter of complaint is in regard to the "stubs" placed in the sidewalks by the city to designate the line of the proposed storm water sewers. They are just high enough to prove stumbling blocks to pedestrians and in several cases have tripped the unsuspecting and thrown them with much force to the ground and upon the debris about them. In one instance a lady came near being very seriously hurt by being so tripped up and it was only the timely efforts of a gentleman near that stopped her fall and saved the city from a heavy suit for damages.

The people, as all courts have decided and will continue to decide, are entitled to all possible protection and comfort in passing over public walks and streets and when it is not provided some one has to pay for any damages which may result. Is it possible that the authorities of Paducah think they are giving the people their rights in the way they allow the streets torn up and the sidewalks obstructed? The \$4,000 verdict rendered not long since against the city for its failure to afford the proper protection for its citizens, should be kept in mind while these daily impositions on the public are suffered to go unchallenged by those officials whose duty it is to prohibit and prevent them.

It may be true that a telegraph company violates the law by furnishing a report of races to persons who

use them to decide bets—in short, to the operators of pool rooms—but whether so or not, the Western Union has demonstrated to New York that the pool rooms go on just the same, and betting does not diminish, whether the company transmits the reports or not. The company being threatened with prosecution, recently issued an order that no more reports of races would be furnished to subscribers in New York. It was expected by those who had tried to stop betting by stopping the reports, that the pool rooms would close, but they didn't. They are running just the same. The reports are simply telephoned over from Jersey City, N. J. The reformers had forgotten the telephone. All of this goes to show that there are more ways than one to kill a cat. Betting and gambling and kindred evils will never be stopped until people lose the desire to indulge. If this were remembered, a great deal of earnest, sincere, and commendable, but misdirected and futile energy in this world might be devoted to things yielding more fruitful and beneficial results.

Some people never blame themselves for things for which they alone are responsible. A war has been waged against the police commissioners at New Orleans for their alleged sins of commission and omission. The most effective campaign was that of the Picayune, which exposed corruption to such an extent that the grand jury condemned the whole board and the mayor has demanded the resignations of all the members. Then one of the alleged culprits had the gall to sue the newspaper for \$100,000 damages. He might get more if he would also sue the grand jury for condemning him and the mayor for asking for his resignation, and he would be just as much justified in it. This man doubtless blames the newspaper for his troubles, although it was nothing but his own alleged dishonesty, and the just exposure of it, that caused his humiliation and downfall.

General Miles suggests that the government assign yearly 5,000 soldiers to assist in building good roads. As General Miles is something of a dreamer, however, the plan will probably not be seriously considered. We need good roads, and need them more and more every year. If the people in every county in every state in the union took the proper interest in the subject, we should soon have good roads all over the United States. The trouble is too many taxpayers are shortsighted and indifferent, and sit around year after year and see their money wasted in useless road work instead of demanding permanent improvements which would give them better service and save money. And still they kick regularly because their taxes are high.

Many good people in Kentucky are rallying to the aid of Jim Howard, one of the victims of persistent political persecution, and up to yesterday nearly \$1,000 had been sent in to Louisville to assist him in taking his case to the United States court.

CASES DISMISSED

THOSE AGAINST LOCAL BANKS
THROWN OUT OF COURT
ENTIRELY.

In the suits Auditor's Agent Frank Lucas brought here against the three local state banks for back taxes, County Judge R. T. Lightfoot has decided that the agent had no right to bring the suits without authority of the auditor, and dismissed them. He did not pass on any other question, and unless the auditor's agent desires to appeal the case, there will be nothing further done in these cases until the court of appeals decides the test case from Louisville, which is to settle all the cases. Judge Lightfoot's decision differs from most of the other decisions in these cases in that he holds the agent can not prosecute such actions without the sanction of the auditor, and after the auditor has asked for their dismissal. The Louisville courts held the opposite on passing on this question.

PREPARING FOR CADIZ CARNIVAL.

Mr. W. W. Wynn, of Cadiz, manager of the Cadiz carnival company, returned home at noon today after closing contracts with showmen here for the regular spring carnival at Cadiz which will be given from May 30 to June 4.

LOCAL TOBACCO SALES.

Yesterday in Paducah public tobacco sales were held and about 120 hogsheads offered and 110 sold. The sales were distributed pretty evenly among the local buyers.

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"It isn't often that we have faith enough in the medicine put up by other people to be willing to offer to refund the money if it does not cure," said Lang Bros. to a Sun man who dropped into their store, "but we are glad to sell Dr. Howard's specific for the cure of constipation and dyspepsia on that basis.

"The Dr. Howard company, in order to get a quick introductory sale, authorizes us to sell their regular fifty cent bottles at half price, 25 cents each, although we have sold a lot of it, and have guaranteed every package, not one has been brought back as unsatisfactory.

"One great advantage of this specific," he continued, "is its small dose and convenient form. There are sixty doses in a vial that can be carried in the vest pocket or purse, and every one has more medicinal power than a big pill or tablet or a tumbler of mineral water.

We are still selling the specific at half price, although we cannot tell how long we shall be able to do so, and anyone who is subject to constipation, sick headache, dizziness, liver trouble, indigestion, or a general played out condition, ought to take advantage of this chance. You can tell your readers that if they are not satisfied with the specific they can come right back to our store and we will cheerfully refund their money."

JAPANESE EXECUTED

OFFICERS STOOD THE ORDEAL
LIKE MEN UNAFRAID.

St. Petersburg, May 19.—Details have been received here from Harbin regarding the execution, April 21, of the two Japanese officers, Yu Koka and Oki, for attempting to dynamite bridges and destroy telegraph communication on the Eastern China railway.

The prisoners admitted they were part of a detail, numbering 100 men, whose purpose it was to destroy the railway at various points. When told that they must have been extremely brave people they replied:

"Not at all; we were only carrying out our duty and the order of the mikado."

Both prisoners were executed April 21 between the new and old towns of Harbin in the presence of a large crowd. They were shot instead of being hanged, upon order of Gen. Kuropatkin. A strong guard was thrown about the spot to hold back the public at a distance of 400 yards. No photographs were allowed to be taken.

The younger prisoner refused to allow the bandaging of his eyes. When told it was necessary, according to Russian law, he asked that an exception be made in his favor. The elder Japanese, staff officer, wept and fainted, but finally allowed himself to be blindfolded calmly. One of the men was a catholic and made his last confession to a Russian priest, there being no representative of the Catholic priesthood in Harbin.

POLICE COURT

"FOOLING" WITH A PISTOL
COSTS NEGRO \$100.

Robert Davis, colored, who shot Mattie Moreland, colored, in the neck with a pistol, was fined \$100 in the police court today for flourishing a pistol. He claimed he was just "sky-larking" and the pistol exploded accidentally. The case against the Moreland woman for flourishing a pistol was continued.

Lee Bell, colored, was fined \$20 and costs and recognized in the sum of \$100 for his good behavior towards Jewell Maple.

Ed. Wilson, white, and Norman Rollins, colored, were fined \$1 and costs for drunkenness.

BOY BADLY HURT

MR. LLOYD BLOOMFIELDS' SON
HAS A LEG BROKEN BY
A FALL.

John Todd, the little son of Mr. Lloyd Bloomfield, had a leg broken yesterday afternoon at his grandfather's place in Arcadia by being thrown from a mule. The little fellow was trying to ride the animal when it threw him off with great violence, resulting in a broken leg. The fracture is a very bad one. Dr. C. H. Brothers attended the little fellow.

UNIFORM RANK

KNIGHTS OF PYTHIAS HAVE 28
COMPANIES IN KENTUCKY.

Kentucky now has twenty-three companies of the Uniform Rank, Knights of Pythias, which will play a prominent part in the Biennial Encampment festivities of next August. Three companies have been organized within the past few weeks, and two of these are yet to be mustered in—the Manchester and Butler companies. Evergreen Company, No. 27, of Hopkinsville, the third one, has just completed its election of officers as follows: Captain, J. L. Anderson; First Lieutenant, H. M. Arthur; Second Lieutenant, G. W. Combs; Recorder, S. V. Britton; Treasurer, M. V. Craft; Guard, John Byrley, and Sentinel J. T. Morgan.

Every company in Kentucky will assign men to do escort duty on the Parade, Review and Escort Committee, under the chairmanship of Charles B. Norton, during the August meeting. Each incoming delegation of Pythians will be met at the railroad station and escorted to camp or other locations where the visitors will find quarters.

TAKEN TO CADIZ

LAWRENCE WILLIS TO BE TRIED
THERE SATURDAY.

Deputy Sheriff J. H. Thomas, of Trigg county, left at noon for Cadiz with Lawrence D. Willis, who will be tried for the murder of his uncle, Lieutenant Wm. Johnson. Willis was brought here for safe keeping, having made a key to the jail at Cadiz, and released himself whenever he wanted to, but always returned before daylight. He has been a model prisoner here and is liked by all who know him. He was convicted of the charge and sentenced for life a few months ago, but was granted a new trial. His case is set for trial Saturday.

ANKLE SPRAINED

CITY PHYSICIAN ABOUT ON
CRUTCHES TODAY.

City Physician Robert Rivers is almost disabled today from an accident last night on Broadway, when he turned his ankle and sustained a painful sprain. His right foot is badly swollen and he can get about only by the aid of a crutch.

His ankle has been weak ever since he was hurt in a street car accident last year, and a sudden wrench last night again spraining it.

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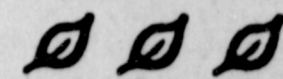
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—Mrs. E. L. Whitesides, osteopath, No. 123 North Sixth street. Both phones 761.

—Buy your fishing tackle of R. D. Clements & Co. They have all kinds from the cheapest to the best.

—There will be an important called meeting of the Ramsey society at the church tomorrow at 3 p. m. All members are urged to be present.

—Palmer Transfer Co. can furnish you with up-to-date, first class livery rigs, spirited horses for fancy driving. Gentle horses for ladies.

—A called meeting of the board of education will be held this evening to elect principals and let the contract for printing revised rules.

—Hon. Ben O. Keys, who has been ill at his home at Almo, Calloway county, is reported much better now and not in any serious danger.

Sexton Sign Works makes a specialty of carriage painting, the work being done by first class workmen only. Both phones, 401, Sixteenth and Madison.

—The match between Messrs. Ben Weille and W. B. Kennedy did not take place yesterday afternoon at the park, as intended, Mr. Kennedy being too busy to get out.

—The board of Aldermen will meet tonight, but it is the intention of the members to allow the bills and then adjourn until Monday night on account of the carnival.

—The Ladies' Mite Society of the First Baptist church, will meet Friday afternoon at 3 o'clock with Mrs. S. A. Street, 1107 Monroe street. All members are requested to attend.

—Mr. T. J. Wilhoite has received word from Owensboro that his brother, Mr. Clay Wilhoite who was hurt recently in a runaway and was not expected to recover, is out of danger.

—For the next thirty days we will give away a lawn sprinkler and reel with every fifty feet or more of our celebrated Corrugated Hose. This is an excellent quality and has not an equal in value at the price. SCOTT HDW CO, Inc., 422-424 Broadway.

—Walter Randle, white, who was shot at Ingleside, is better today. John Lacy, the negro who was also

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Social Notes and About People.

Mr. Pat McElrath of Benton is in the city.

Dispatcher L. Neil, of Fulton, is in the city.

Mrs. John Stapp, of Woodville, is in the city.

Mrs. T. E. Moss, of Woodville, is in the city.

Mr. J. H. Boswell, of Mayfield, was in the city today.

Colonel H. H. Hobson went to Cincinnati today at noon.

Mr. Otto Ourrell, of Burlington, Ia., is here prospecting.

Marshal William H. McCullom, of Kuttawa, is in the city.

Mrs. N. M. Uri, of Louisville, returned home today at noon.

Mrs. J. F. Covington went to St. Louis today at noon to visit.

Miss Bettie George, of Wingo, is visiting Mrs. J. D. Laster.

Mrs. W. B. Milne, of Eddyville, returned home this afternoon after a brief visit to relatives here.

Mr. and Mrs. B. K. Hussey, of Kuttawa, were in the city yesterday the guests of Mr. and Mrs. Ned Baker.

Miss Dixie Childress, of Eddyville, is the guest of her cousin, Mrs. James Caldwell. She will remain until tomorrow.

Messrs. George Shanklin, of Evansville, and Will Tynor, of Livingston county, are visiting the former's sister, Mrs. John Golightly.

Mr. Albert Gilbert, of Mobile, Ala., is expected in the city today to attend the bedside of his father, Mr. Charles Gilbert who is very low and not expected to live.

Miss Aline Bagby will arrive home next week for a two months' visit. The theatrical company, "The Cardinal," with which she has been playing for the past few months, will close its engagement in Buffalo Saturday.

Mrs. M. J. Houts and Chris Houts went to Paducah Monday after being the guests of Mr. and Mrs. J. W. Roberts and little daughter Lucile and Mrs. J. W. McCreery, of Paducah, returned to their home Tuesday, after being the guest of the latter's sister, Mrs. H. G. Cosby. * * * Mrs. Helen Long returned to her home in Paducah Monday, after visiting her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Geo. Grace.—Metropolis Herald.

KNOCKED OUT

TOOK A CLERGYMAN FROM THE PULPIT.

How improper food knocked out a minister so completely he had to resign from the pulpit and a simple change of diet restored him to health and vigor is an interesting tale.

"In November 1901, I was compelled to surrender my life work as minister of the gospel and move from Minnesota to California for my health. For 20 years I had suffered untold misery from constipation although I tried nearly every remedy I heard of and got only temporary relief. The constipation brought on various other troubles and finally broke my whole system down.

"On the following January I entered the hospital a physical wreck after two operations for constipation. My diet was a source of much worry.

"One day my wife heard something about Grape Nuts food and insisted on my trying it. So she got some and I began eating Grape Nuts without even an idea it would cure my constipation. But that's what it did for day by day I got better and stronger and the result is I have gained 20 pounds and am so strong and healthy I can actually do a hard day's work at manual labor.

"Simply by the change of diet alone Grape Nuts food completely cured the constipation something all the operations and medicines and remedies couldn't do. I believe after my experience there cannot be a case of constipation so severe Grape Nuts won't cure it. I will gladly answer any queries about this wonderful food." Name given by Postum Co., Battle Creek, Mich.

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PADUCAH MAN

Charged With Forging Name to \$100 Check.

W. M. Douglass Captured in Memphis Yesterday Afternoon.

On a charge of forgery, for which he is indicted in the State of Kentucky, W. M. Douglass was arrested in Memphis yesterday afternoon. Douglass was looked up and the authorities at Paducah were notified of his capture. Captain Joe Woods was sent for the prisoner.

On the 12th of March it is charged that Douglass forged the name of Mrs. Emma Perpolle to a check for \$100 which he had drawn in favor of himself. The check was drawn on the Paducah Banking Company by which company it was paid when presented. The paper was also indorsed on the back by Douglass, who affixed his mark as though he were unable to sign his name.

Several days ago information was secured that Douglass was in Memphis and he was arrested. Douglass says he will return to Paducah without a requisition and will be brought in tonight.

ASKS \$5,000

FOR DAMAGES FOR AN ALLEGED ASSAULT.

Ellis James today filed a suit against E. O. Terrell for \$5,000 damages for injuries sustained in an assault alleged to have been made on the plaintiff by the defendant May 21, 1903.

James claims that Terrell struck him with a stick in the head and that because of the blows his eyesight and hearing has been affected and he asks for judgment for the above amount.

Little Mike Knowles is sick at his home on Tennessee street.

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Ladies attention. I want you to try dry cleaning process, the best method yet for cleaning clothes. H. M. Dalton, 208 Broadway.

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STATE MANAGERS

INSURANCE MEN TO MEET COMMISSIONER PREWITT NEXT WEDNESDAY.

A meeting will be held in Louisville next Wednesday of the State managers of all the life insurance companies doing business in Kentucky. State Insurance Commissioner Henry R. Prewitt has been invited to attend. The meeting will be for the purpose of discussing the Commissioner's decision to require agents to answer questions as to the violation of the anti-rebate law. Mr. Prewitt says he will insist that the questions be answered unless he is restrained by the courts. It is likely that the matter will be taken to the courts for settlement. The time for answering the questions has been extended thirty days from May 15.

MANY ATTENDING

COLORED PRESBYTERIANS IN SESSION IN PADUCAH.

The general assembly of the colored Presbyterian church met this morning at 11 o'clock at the colored Presbyterian church in this city with a large delegation in attendance.

Elder F. L. McWilliams, retiring moderator, called the assembly to order, and spoke upon the general interests of the church, including missions, church extension, education and relation to other denominations.

Rev. H. Bonner, of the Hopewell presbytery, preached, taking for his text, "That We May Be One." John 17-21. A business session is being held this afternoon.

James, the little son of Mr. and Mrs. James E. English, is better, after an illness from tonsillitis.

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TO ST. LOUIS.

Mr. George Walters was yesterday afternoon elected a delegate to the International Typographical Convention to represent the local union, No. 134. Mr. Walters is one of the best known and most capable men in the business here and will make a good representative.

Mr. Buck Mount, of Eddyville, is in the city.

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CASH VALUE OF 8 UNREDEEMED COUPONS 3,533.40

Profit \$ 513.40
Total investment \$3,677.50
Total cash return 4,365.65

Total profit in 150 weeks 688.15
Percentage of profit on investment 18.23 per cent
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Dec., 1898

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Dec., 1899

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Dec., 1900

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Everything in Season.

Written at Random.

A neat little publication, edited by Rev. George O. Bachman of the First Cumberland Presbyterian church, and published by Mr. Claude Johnson had its first issue this week. It will appear monthly and will be devoted to the interest of the Cumberland Presbyterian churches of the "Kentucky Purchase." It is four pages and four columns in size, and is of nice typographical appearance. It is entitled "Our Church Visitor."

A new society has been organized in Louisville and named the "Kentucky Animal Rescue league," its object being to find homes for aged, disabled and friendless animals. The object is a worthy, commendable one, and if the energies of the organization are not confined to mere perfunctory meetings, gab, resolutions, and similar ineffective proceedings, as so many of them are, a great deal of good may be accomplished. Humane and many similar societies often exist largely in the imagination and newspaper reports. You see very little results from them, although the field is practically unlimited.

Former Mayor James M. Lang has a cat at his drugstore that is something of a curiosity. She is the proud possessor of a "litter" of kittens consisting of one kitten. Every morning regularly she brings it downstairs, where it is supposed to stay, looks after it all day and takes it back at night. She carries it in her mouth, unnecessary to say, and her agility is something remarkable, as she jumps with it in her mouth to the top of the office desk, at least five feet from the floor and leaves it there. The baby feline is not yet able to walk about and for that reason lays contentedly on top of the desk until the old cat comes to take it back upstairs for the night.

One of Louisville's popular theatres has just closed for the season. It caters to the popular melodrama, or "blood and thunder," as it is sometimes called, and a Louisville dramatic critic who has kept conscientious tab on the casualties, gives the list for the season as follows:

Murdered—540-2-3.
Wounded—270.
Rescued—722.
Attempted lynchings—14.
Saved from gallows—14.
Dynamite explosions—84.
Powder used, pounds—67.
Villains discovered and arrested—540.
"Damns" used—957.
Train robberies—14.
Snowfall—inches—8.
Tears shed—gallons—841.93.

Good advice is contained in the admonition, "Out down the weeds." "The annual nuisance of weeds, too many weeds, and weeds of dangerous qualities has come, and any warning at this season cannot be out of place," declared a prominent doctor today.

"I think that the evil of allowing weeds to grow without molestation is one of the great wrongs committed against the people. Weeds growing on vacant lots and in back yards and alleys are a menace to the health of the community. They frequently emit germs, which cannot be of much value to the city's health. Besides, the weeds are unsightly."

"Another hot weather danger is the unclean condition of alleys in the city. They often contain accumulations of filth and decomposed garbage and other kinds of disease-breeding material."

The sanitary officers are now abroad in the land and should pay particular attention to the weeds.

Postman Fred Acker is thankful that there are honest people in the world. The other night he was standing on the corner listening to a Hamburger man telling his troubles to a small crowd that was idly watching him flatten out his meat for the next dose. The steak man said he wanted an honest man to work for him but declared that while there are some honest men in the world, "they all had jobs."

Yesterday some one along the route gave Mr. Acker \$14, a ten and a two dollar bill, with an addressed envelope and two nickles for a money order, and asked him to have the money sent away for him. Mr. Acker kindly consented to accommodate the gentleman, and placing the letter containing the two bills and two nickles inside his pouch unsealed, he expected to take it out at the postoffice, secure the

money order and send the letter. When he emptied the contents of his pouch at the postoffice, however, the letter was gone. Not a trace of it remained, and he decided it was gone for good, and notified the sender that he would make good the loss.

He told his hard luck story to the clerk and postmen and that evening the letter was found by one of them on the table where it had been deposited with other mail dropped into the postoffice. The letter had evidently been lost by the postman picked up on the street by some one, sealed and mailed. The money was all inside, two nickles and all. The letter was then properly prepared, and mailed without further delay. Postman Acker states that it was the first time he ever had such a thing happen during the ten years he has been carrying mail, and that judging from what the Hamburger man said, the person who found it must have a good job, because he is certainly honest. If he will make known his identity, Mr. Acker will do anything possible to help him get a job if he ever gets in need of one.

SEVERAL CHANGES.

MR R. H. HESTON COMES HERE TO REPRESENT SINGER COMPANY.

Several changes have been made in the management of the Singer Sewing Machine company in this section.

R. P. Heston, who has been manager at Mayfield, comes to Paducah to succeed Henry Hale who was sent to Louisville. He will be succeeded at Mayfield by Lexie Hale, who has been assistant manager. J. O. Ryan, of Fulton, will be the assistant manager of Mayfield. Mr. Heston, the new manager, is a popular young man and well known and liked by everybody. He was formerly of Fulton. His family will join him later in Paducah.

LOW RATES TO CALIFORNIA.

On account of the general conference of the Methodist Episcopal church at Los Angeles, Cal., commencing May 3, 1904, and the National Association of Retail Grocers of the United States at San Francisco commencing May 3, 1904, the Illinois Central Railroad Co. will sell tickets to either San Francisco or Los Angeles, from April 22 to May 1, inclusive for \$49.65 for the round trip from Paducah, limited to return until June 30, 1904.

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Paducah, Ky., April 13, 1904.

GROWING ACHES AND PAINS.

Mrs. Josie Sumner, Bremont, Texas, writes, April 15, 1902: "I have used Ballard's Snow Liniment in my family for three years. I would not be without it in the house. I have used it on my little girl for growing pains and aches in her knees. It cured her right away. I have also used it for frost bitten feet, with good success. It is the best liniment I ever used." 25c, 50c and \$1. Sold by Du Bois, Kolb & Co., Paducah, Ky.

TO RELIEVE RECEIVERS.

Nashville, Tenn., May 19.—Vice President W. C. Chapman, of the Tennessee Central Railroad Company, announces that financial arrangements have been perfected whereby the road will at once be relieved of the receivership recently appointed.

LAX-FOS Cures Constipation and all stomach troubles by removing the cause. Price 50c S. H. WINSTEAD MED. CO. Paducah, Ky.

The Victor arrived last night from Tennessee river and will go to Caseyville today after a tow of ties.

IT'S OF LITTLE USE

For you to fume and fret after the fire is over—act now, take out a policy in one of the sound companies on our list and save yourself vexation, loss, possibly ruin. Don't neglect your home—it is neglect if you don't insure it and what it contains in the way of furniture and personal effects

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ALSO PURIFIES THE BLOOD.

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Hayes' Beechwood Emulso-Hypo With Iron**Makes Fat, Strength, Blood, Bone and Muscle.**

If you are tired, broken down, despondent, worn out, pale, losing flesh, have no energy, do not feel like rising in the morning for the day's work, you need a bottle of this wonderful medicine. Do you want good rich red blood? Do you want the bloom to come back to the cheek? Are you convalescing after having fever, pneumonia or measles? Then you ought to take a bottle of EMULSO-HYPO. Its medicinal food that reaches every tissue in the body and builds you up. Taken in a little wine its as pleasant as cough syrup.

Read what the editor of the Meridian Star of Mississippi, A. G. Davis, writes under date of April 8:

"My mother took the Emulso-Hypo and has been greatly benefited. She is in better health than she has been in years."

J. W. Russell, county clerk of Hickman county, Tenn., writes:

"My wife has used several bottles of Emulso-Hypo with Iron and has been wonderfully improved. I can conscientiously recommend it for all lung trouble."

Rev. G. T. Sullivan, presiding elder of the Memphis district, writes under date of Dec. 1, 1903:

"My daughter, whose system was very much run down, has been taking your Beechwood Emulso-Hypo with Iron, and has improved so much with one bottle I have no doubt by continuance she will be fully restored in her nerve forces. I am delighted with the results and shall continue her on it. Wishing you prosperity, I am, yours truly,
G. T. SULLIVAN."

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Wealthy Charles Hendrie of Stamford, Conn., gave these reasons for his action in dividing his fortune among his three children. Calling his children about him Mr. Hendrie astonished them by literally pouring his fortune into their laps. To his son, Gideon, he gave his beautiful estate of several hundred acres situated near Sound Beach, on Long Island Sound. To his two daughters, Mrs. Joel Ford and Mrs. Harry Riddick, he gave many thousands dollars' worth of stocks, bonds and mortgages. The remainder of his estate he divided between his grandchildren, Clinton and Charles Hendrie.

ENTERPRISE, INGENUITY AND ORIGINALITY.

Say something against Lax-Fos in the presence of those who have taken it and you'll be sorry. Every person using Lax-Fos will tell you an interesting story of how it cured them.

Lax-Fos is the very latest example of medical enterprise, ingenuity and originality. Those who have been sick, and others, say, Lax-Fos is the best medicine made. To make it a little better than any other remedy even though it cost more is an investment and not an expense to the S. H. Winstead Medicine Co. No advertisement is equal to having people say Lax-Fos is the best. To succeed in any business give the consumer more than you promise. That's done in Lax-Fos. It cures indigestion, constipation, kidney and liver trouble. Its good effects are felt at once. Take no substitute. The genuine is sold on the money back plan by druggists everywhere.

THE NORTHWESTERN LINE RUSSIAN JAPAN ATLAS.

Send ten cents in stamps for Russo-Japanese War Atlas issued by the Chicago and Northwestern railway. Three fine colored maps, each for reference. The eastern situation shown in detail, with tables showing relative military and naval strength and financial resources of Russia and Japan. Address N. M. BREEZE, 485 Vine street, Cincinnati, O.

Mexico City, Mex.—From all appearances and the best authority obtainable, it can be said that nothing will be done in the matter of the proposed monetary reform until after the presidential election in July.

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Twelve.—That opportunities of coming to an understanding with Mr. Jeffrey after his wife's death had not been lacking, and it was not until after such opportunities had occurred that any serious inquiry into this matter had been begun by the police. To which must be added, not in way of proof, but as an important factor in the case, that her manner, never open, was such throughout her whole public examination as to make it evident to all that only half of what had occurred in the Jeffreys' house since the wedding had been given out by her or by the man for whose release from a disappointing matrimonial entanglement she was supposed to have worked, and this though the suspicion hanging over them both called for the utmost candor.

Verily a serious list, and opposed to this I had as yet little to offer but my own belief in her innocence and the fact, but little dwelt on and yet not without its value, that the money which had come to Mr. Jeffrey and the home which had been given her had both been forfeited by Mrs. Jeffrey's death.

As I mused and mused over this important synopsis in my vain attempt to reach some fresh clue to a proper understanding of the inconsistencies in Miss Tuttle's conduct by means of my theory of her strong but mistaken devotion to Mr. Jeffrey, a light suddenly broke upon me from an entirely unexpected quarter. It was a faint one, but any glimmer was welcome. Remembering a remark made by Mrs. Jeffrey in his examination that Mrs. Jeffrey had not been the same since crossing the fatal doorstep of the Moore house, I asked myself if we had paid enough attention to the mental condition and conduct of the bride prior to the alarm which threw a pall or horror over her marriage, and caught by the idea, I sought for a fuller account of the events of that day than had hitherto been supplied by newspaper or witness.

Hunting up my friend the reporter, I begged him to tell me where he had



obtained the facts from which he made that leading article in the Star which had so startled all Washington on the evening of the Jeffrey wedding. That they had come from some eyewitness I had no doubt, but who was the eyewitness? Himself? No. Who then? At first he declined to tell me, but after a fuller understanding of my motives he mentioned the name of a young lady who, while a frequent guest at the most fashionable functions, was not above supplying the papers with such little items of current gossip as came under her own observation.

How I managed to approach this lady and by what means I succeeded in gaining her confidence are details quite unnecessary to this narrative. Enough that I did obtain access to her and that she talked quite frankly to me and in so doing supplied me with a clew which ultimately opened up to me an entirely new field of inquiry.

We had been discussing Mr. Jeffrey and Miss Tuttle when suddenly and with no apparent motive beyond the natural love of gossip, which was her weakness, she launched out into remarks about the bride. The ceremony had been late. Did I know it? A half hour or three-quarters past the time set for it. And why? Because Miss Moore was not ready. She had chosen to array herself in the house and had come early enough for the purpose, but she would not accept any assistance, not even that of her maid, and of course she kept every one waiting. "Oh, there was no more uneasy soul in the whole party that morning than the bride!" Let other people remark upon the high look in Cora Tuttle's face or gossip about the anxious manner of the bridegroom, she (the speaker) could tell things about the bride which would go to show that she was not all right even before that ominous death's head reared itself into view at her marriage festival. Why, the fact that she came downstairs and was married without her bridal bouquet was enough. Had there not been so much else to talk about, people would have talked about that. But the big event had so effectually swallowed up the little that only herself and possibly two other ladies she might name seemed to retain any memory of the matter.

"What ladies?" I asked.
"Oh, it doesn't matter what ladies. Two of the very best sort. I know they noticed it, because I heard them talking about it. We were all standing in the upper hall and were all crowded into a passage leading to the room where the bride was dressing. It was before the alarm had gone around of what had been discovered in the library, and we were all impatient enough for the appearance of the bride, who, we had been told, intended to wear the old point in which her

great-grandmother was married. "I have a weakness for old point and I was determined to stand where I could see her come out, even if I lost sight of the ceremony itself. But it would have been tedious enough waiting in that close hall if the ladies behind me had not kept up a conversation, which I, of course, pretended not to hear. I remember it, every word, for it was my sole amusement for half an hour. What was it? Oh, it was about that same bouquet, which, by the way, I had the privilege of staring at all the time they chatted. For the boy who brought it had not been admitted into Miss Moore's room, and, not knowing what else to do with it, was lingering before her door, with the great streamers falling from his hands, and the lilies making the whole place heavy with a sickening perfume. From what I heard the ladies say, he had been standing there an hour, and the timid knock he gave from time to time produced in me an odd feeling which those ladies behind me seemed to share.

"It's a shame!" I heard one of them cry. "Veronica Moore has no excuse for such thoughtlessness. It is an hour now that she has been shut up in her room alone. She won't have even her maid in. She prefers to dress alone, she says. Peculiar in a bride, isn't it? But one thing is certain—she cannot put on her veil without help. She will have to call some one in for that." At which the other volunteered that the Moores were all queer, and that she didn't envy Francis Jeffrey. "What! not with fifty thousand a year to lighten her oddities?" returned her companion with a shrug which communicated itself to me, so closely were we packed together. "I have a son who could bear with them under such circumstances." Indeed she has, and all Washington knows it, but the remark passed without comment, for they had not yet exhausted the main event, and the person they now attacked was Miss Tuttle. "Why doesn't she come and see that that bouquet is taken in? I declare it's not decent. Mr. Jeffrey would not feel complimented if he knew the fate of those magnificent lilies and roses. I presume he furnished the bouquet."

"Miss Tuttle has looked out of her room once," I heard the other reply. "She is in splendid beauty today, but pale. But she never could control Veronica." "Hush! You speak louder than you think." This amused me, and I do believe that in another moment I should have laughed outright if another boy had not appeared in the hall before us, who, shoving aside the first, rapped on the door with a spirit which called for answer. But he was no more successful than the other boy had been. So, being a brisk fellow, with no time for nonsense, he called out: "Your bouquet, miss, and a message which I am to give you before you go downstairs! The gentleman is quite particular about it!" These words were literally shouted at the door, but in the hubbub of voices about us I don't believe any one heard them but ourselves and the bride. I know that she heard them, for she opened the door a very little way—such a very little way that the boy had to put his lips to the crack when he spoke and then turn and place his ear where his lips had been in order to catch her reply. This, for some reason, seemed a long time in coming, and the fellow grew so impatient that he amused himself by snatching the bouquet from the other boy and thrusting it in through the crack, to the very great detriment of its roses and lilies. When she took it he bawled for his answer, and when he got it he stared and muttered doubtfully to himself as he worked his way out again through the crowd, which by this time was beginning to choke up all the halls and stairways.

"But why have I told you all this nonsense?" she asked quite suddenly. "It isn't of the least consequence that Veronica Moore kept a boy waiting at her door while she dressed herself for her wedding, but it shows that she was queer even then, and I for one believe in the theory of suicide, and in that alone, and in the excuse she gave for it, too; for if she had really loved Francis Jeffrey she would not have been so slow to take in the magnificent bouquet he had provided for her."

But comment even from those who had known these people well was not what I wanted at this moment, but facts; so, without much attention to these words, I said:
"You will excuse me if I suggest that you are going on too fast. The door of the bride's room has just been shut upon the boy who brought her a message. When was it opened again?"

(TO BE CONTINUED.)

Wabash, Ind.—Gerry Thompson, a 16-year-old lad employed at the Wabash paper mill was caught by a rapidly revolving shaft and hurled around many times before the machinery was stopped. He was fatally hurt.

Misses Kate and Jessie Davis, of Marion, Ill., are visiting Miss Carrie Warren on West Broadway.

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POPULAR MAN

Mr. Charles Gilbert Succumbs
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Was One of the Best Known Musicians
in Paducah—Burial Tomorrow.

Mr. Charles Gilbert, the well known musician died this morning at his home, 521 Madison street from a complication of diseases after a several weeks illness. His death was not unexpected, as he had been critically ill for the past three days, but his many friends will regret very much to learn of his demise.

Mr. Gilbert was born 45 years ago at Benton, Ky., and was son of the late Judge Jesse Gilbert, for many years one of Paducah's most eminent lawyers. He had spent the greater part of his life in Paducah, but lived for a few years in St. Louis as representative of a big piano concern. He was a musician of rare ability, and was well known throughout South-west Kentucky.

Mr. Gilbert was a man liked by all who knew him. He was genial and generous, a good fellow, who readily made friends everywhere, and he will be greatly missed in a large circle of friends.

Mr. Gilbert had not been in good health for the past year or more, but his condition did not become serious until a few weeks since, when he gradually began to become weaker, and his friends were yesterday told that there was no hope for him.

His son, Mr. Albert Gilbert, arrived from Mobile, Ala., this morning before his father breathed his last. Mr. Gilbert leaves besides his son, a mother and several brothers, Messrs. Sydney, Jesse and Willie Gilbert, of Paducah, and Mr. Frank Gilbert, Dallas, Texas, and Mr. Harry Gilbert, who is studying music at Berlin, and will be absent another year.

The funeral will take place tomorrow morning at 10 o'clock from the residence on Madison street, services by Rev. W. H. Pinkerton, of the First Christian church, burial at Oak Grove.

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CIRCUIT COURT

Damage Suit Over Elevator In-
juries Tried.

Hon. John K. Hendrick Chosen as
Special Judge in Several Cases.

The case of G. G. Scott against the I. C. railroad company was finished this morning and the railroad awarded \$47.85 for freight.

Scott shipped a horse from Mississippi and when it arrived here the company refused to release it. Scott refused to pay an alleged balance of \$47 as freight and claims that his race horse was damaged by confinement and he lost in services also. He sued for \$2,000.

Judge Reed instructed the jury to find a verdict for the defendant for the claim as freight which was done. The outcome of the case was very peculiar and of much interest, being one of the very few cases decided this way.

The defendant in the case of J. A. Glauber against Gus Rouff filed a motion and reasons for a new trial. Glauber was given a verdict for \$100 yesterday for a horse alleged to have been driven to death.

W. H. Rieke was excused as a petit juror and W. R. Parker substituted.

An agreed judgment for \$53 was filed in the case of M. C. Steele against the I. C. road.

In the case of the Evansville Brewing association against Mizze & Edmunds, the funds attached were ordered turned over to Mizze, a relative to one of the defendants, who claimed the money attached was his and not the firm's. The funds had been attached for debt when the third party stepped in and claimed it.

An agreed order was filed in the cases of F. W. McKee against the Palmer Transfer Co. and Theodore Stove against the Paducah Railway Co. agreeing that Attorney John K. Hendrick sit as a special judge to try the case.

Hon. John K. Hendrick was chosen by agreement to preside as special judge in the following cases:

Riley Turner vs. Paducah Cooper-
age company; Pryor vs. Standard
Oil Company; James Cardin vs. Lang-
staff-Orme Manufacturing company;
Lucy Bradley vs. Paducah Street
Railway company; Charles Meshe-
w vs. Western Union Telegraph Com-
pany; Sullivan vs. Driskill Post-Hole
Auger company; Sullivan vs. Sam
Givens; Driskill Post-Hole Auger
company against Sam Givens. Judge
Reed is council for parties to the ac-
tions and cannot serve.

At press time the case of Edmund
Moore against George C. Wallace &
Co. was being argued and will go to
the jury about 3:30.

Moore was employed in the Alden
Knitting Mills which is operated by
Wallace & Co. and while at work in
the mills an elevator broke and let him
fall a distance of two stories. He was
injured about the back and sues for
\$5,000 on the grounds that the ma-
chinery was defective.

COUNTY COURT.

W. A. Gardner and others deed to
J. F. Baker, for \$1 and other consid-
eration, property in the Atkins addi-
tion.

Hermann Friedman was appointed
guardian for Will I. Levy, Jr.

Herman Friedman today qualified
as administrator of the estate of the
late Will I. Levy.

J. D. Smith has filed a suit in
quarterly court against Stephen
Menard for \$50 on account.

Felix Rudolph, public guardian, has
been appointed guardian for Karl,
Katie and May Beyer.

LICENSED TO MARRY.

J. M. Agnew, age 32 of the city to
Mamie I. Brumfield, of the city, age
31. Second marriage of both.

J. R. Reed, of Ballard county, age
38 to Nannie Stegall, of Ballard
county, age 32. Second marriage of
both.

THREE BISHOPS

ELECTED BY THE METHODIST
CONFERENCE TODAY.

Los Angeles, May 19—Joseph F.
Berry, Henry Spellmer, and W. F.
McDowell were elected bishops by the
Methodist conference. J. W. Bashford,
of Ohio, will probably be the fourth.

WITH THE SICK.

Fred, the little son of Mr. and Mrs.
Fred Rudy, is improving after a se-
vere attack of tonsillitis.

ONE HAS PAID

Three Soldiers Promise to Pay
Their Fines.

Civil Officers Are Not Certain What
They Will Do.

Captain James Caldwell has suc-
ceeded in collecting one fine from the
soldiers who were fined by the court
martial in March, Orel Cox having
paid the \$2 fine assessed against him.

Sydney Smith, E. Caldwell and S.
Pollack have agreed to pay theirs and
their names have been omitted from
the list to be forwarded the governor.

Sheriff Potter, in regard to arrest-
ing any of the soldiers, stated today
that he would not do anything until
he was convinced that he was within
the law, or until the courts required
him to. He some time ago refused to
serve military papers turned over to
him by the local militia, and states
that if there are any arrests to be made
on military papers the military au-
thorities must make them.

Jailer Fayette Jones stated in re-
sponse to a question what he would
do, that he didn't know yet, as the
question had never been seriously
considered by him. He will not
decide until it is necessary to make a
decision. He will probably act on
the advice of his attorneys should it
become necessary to accept such
prisoners or refuse them.

—Mr. Weikel, the brick contractor,
has stopped work for a few days on
the new engine house on account of
shortage of brick.

Master Neville McNamara, of Mem-
phis, Tenn., visiting friends and rela-
tives in the city.

LIBRARY BOARD

Meeting to be Held Monday
Evening Next.

A Large Number of Matters to Be
Considered.

A meeting of the Public Library
Board has been called for Monday
evening to consider a large number of
matters. It is probable that a librar-
ian will be chosen. There are several
applicants, and no one seems to have
a sure thing of it.

The yard at the library building
now resembles a dumping ground for
trash and dirt. A large number of
loads of dirt have been hauled there,
but no grading has been done. A
member of the board stated that they
had been trying for six weeks to get
the city to attend to the matter of
getting the yard in shape, but hadn't
been able to get anything more done
than having the dirt dumped there.
It is not known exactly what all will
be considered at Monday night's meet-
ing, but there will be plenty of busi-
ness on hand.

HORSE RUNAWAY

KICKED MR. PETE BULGER BUT
DID NOT INJURE HIM.

Mr. Pete Bulger's horse ran away
with his grocery delivery wagon this
morning and the animal kicked Mr.
Bulger, who was driving, in the left
leg but fortunately did not badly in-
jure him. The wagon was partially
demolished. The horse was stopped
beyond the bridge in Mechanicsburg
after it had run many blocks.

COLORED MASONS

To Erect a Building at Seventh
and Adams Streets.

Will Cost \$10,000 and Be Three
Stories in Height.

Colored Masons in Paducah have
taken steps to erect a \$10,000 Masonic
Temple in Paducah. It will be locat-
ed at Seventh and Adams streets,
where a butcher shop now stands.
The structure will be three stories
high, and will be the most modern
and finest building ever erected by
colored people in Paducah.

The lower floor will be for stor-
e rooms, the second story for a hall, and
the third story for a lodge room.

The building is to be erected by the
Colored Masonic Stock Company,
which has filed articles of incorpora-
tion in the county clerk's office. The
capital stock is \$10,000, and the in-
corporators are: S. G. Kivel, 200;
Lee Boyd, 200; Wm. Miller 15; Col-
umbus Caruthers, 15; Dr. C. A.
Isabel, 15; Edward Price, 15; John
W. Moore, 140. It is expected to
break ground June 1st.

SUIT FOR DIVORCE.

Emma Wilson today filed a suit for
divorce against her husband Lyman
Wilson, on the grounds of cruel treat-
ment and the wasting of his estate
and non-support. The case was dock-
eted today by agreement.

London.—John Barrett, late Ameri-
can minister to the Argentine Repub-
lic and recently appointed to be the
American minister to Panama, has
arrived in Paris from Argentina. He
is on his way to Panama, via Paris,
London and Washington.

K. I. T. GAMES

Cairo Loses Her First Game of
the Season.

Paducah Did Not Play—Hopkinsville
Also Won Yesterday.

HOW THEY STAND.

	Won	Lost	Pct
Cairo	5	1	833
Vincennes	4	2	667
Paducah	3	3	500
Hopkinsville	3	3	500
Henderson	3	4	433
Clarksville	1	6	144

TODAYS' SCHEDULE.

Paducah at Vincennes.
Clarksville at Hopkinsville.
Henderson at Cairo.

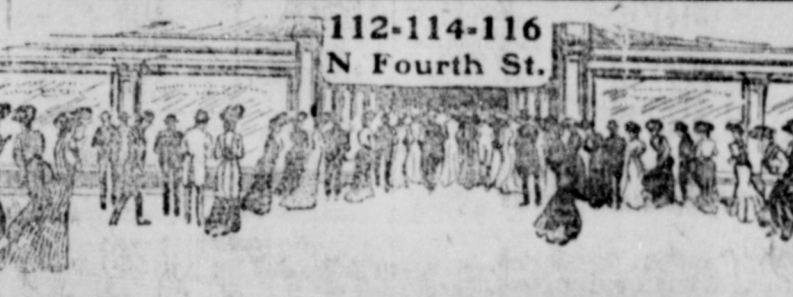
Things have begun to change. Cairo
has lost a game and Hoptown won
another one.

There was no game at Vincennes
yesterday between Paducah and Vin-
cennes on account of rain.

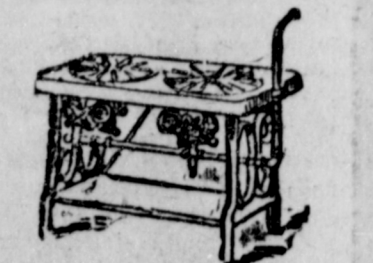
Although Cairo got 7 hits and Hend-
erson only 4, she made 6 errors and
Henderson only 3, and Henderson's
four hits proved winners. Wilder and
Rutledge, for Cairo, and Norwood and
Kenna, for Henderson, were the
batteries.

Hopkinsville defeated Clarksville
by a score of 7 to 2, Hoptown getting
8 hits and 3 errors to Clarksville's 7
hits and 3 errors. Harris and Pettit
for Clarksville and Ferrell and Collins
for Hoptown were the batteries.

Lemon, catcher for the Vincennes
team, was recently fined \$5 for dis-
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